REMARKS

With entry of this amendment, claims 1-79 are cancelled and claims 80 and 81 are amended.

Claim Objections

Claims 80 and 81 have been amended to delete the non-elected subject matter, thereby overcoming this objection.

Priority

The substitute specification has been amended to state the priority information.

<u>IDS</u>

Accompanying this Response is an IDS citing the references disclosed in the parent application.

Specification

The attached substitute specification contains the required sequence identifiers.

Claim Rejections - 35 USC § 112 - Enablement

The claims have been amended in accordance with the Examiner's recommendation, thereby overcoming this rejection.

Conclusion

Applicants submit that the present application is in condition for allowance. Favorable reconsideration is respectfully requested. The Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned by telephone if it is felt that a telephone interview would advance the prosecution of the present application.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the

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Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. If any extensions of time are needed for timely acceptance of papers submitted herewith, applicants hereby petition for such extension under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 and authorizes payment of any such extensions fees to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Respectfully submitted,

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